



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of
Fisher *et al.*
Appln. No.: 09/705,466
Filed: 11/03/2000
For: Encapsulation for Particle Entrapment

Docket: TI-24980
Art Unit: 2827
Examiner: Thai, L.
Conf. No.: 6798

Petition For Extension of Time Under 37 C.F.R. 1.17(b)

April 14, 2003

Assistant Commissioner
for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

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I hereby certify that the above correspondence is being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service as First Class Mail in an envelope addressed to: Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231, on the date below.

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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.17(b), Applicant(s) respectfully petition the Commissioner for a three-month extension in the above-identified application.

The fee for this extension is \$930. Please charge this fee to the deposit account of Texas Instruments Incorporated, Account No. 20-0668. Any further necessary extension of time is hereby requested. Charge any additional fees, or credit overpayment to said account. **This sheet is submitted in triplicate.**

Respectfully submitted,

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